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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

Further to the Amendment filed January 28, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 14 to read as follows:

14. (Twice Amended) A self-propelled vehicle comprising:

— a driving portion which can be selectively switched between a forward driving mode and a backward driving mode,

the driving portion driving the vehicle forward when the driving portion is in the forward driving mode and driving the vehicle backward when the driving portion is in the backward driving mode,

a seat which is swivelable and removable, a steering portion which comprises at least one steerable wheel and at least one steering handle,

the steering handle being rotatable from one side of a hinge point to an opposite side of the hinge point,

whereby the vehicle can be operated forward or backward by an operator riding on the vehicle and the vehicle can be run backward with an operator not riding on the vehicle.

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